THE ENDS OF CIVILISATION? URBAN AND MONUMENTAL CONTINUITY IN THE LATE ANTIQUE MEDITERRANEAN



A ONE-DAY OCLA AND OCBR COLLOQUIUM

Danson Room, Trinity College Saturday 8th week (30th of November)

This colloquium will explore the different nature of the end of Antiquity and of the Roman world on the various regions of the Mediterranean. A small fee will be charged upon registration and collected on the day (10 pounds including lunch, and 5 pounds without lunch and/or students).

Programme

9.30 Registration

10.00 Session 1 The Far Corners of the World

Efthymios Rizos (Istanbul): The end of the Roman Balkans: settlements and material culture AD 600-800

Javier Martínez (Oxford): Concept vs. Reality: monuments in Visigothic towns

11.00 Coffee break

11.30 Session 2 Old Core Lands

Ine Jacobs (Edinburgh): The end of Antiquity in Asia Minor

Yuri Marano (Athens): Monumentality and the urban landscape in late antique Italy. the legal and archaeological evidence

12.30 Sandwich lunch

13.30 Session 3 Economic Centres

Anna Leone (Durham): Recycling the Roman City: Urban Transformations in Late Antique North Africa

Morgan Di Rodi (Oxford): Civilisation after the "Fall of Rome". Monumentality and urban continuity in the late Antique Levant

Simon Esmonde Cleary (Birmingham): Each had baths in preparation; neither had baths in operation': civilisation and its discontents in fifth-century Gaul.

14.00 Coffee break

15.00 Conclusions and final remarks: James Howard-Johnston (Oxford)

If you are interested in attending please, register by sending an email to morgan.dirodi@stx.ox.ac.uk or javier.martinez@arch.ox.ac.uk by Monday of 8th week (25th of November).